

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

GRAMMAR WORKSHEET

SUFFIX: -able



comfort	drink	profit	believe
break	accept	wash	punish
understand	reuse	dispose	knowledge
love	count	advise	employ

- Complete the sentences below. Use the suffix '-able' with the words in the box.

1. Please don't throw away that plastic bag. We can use it again. It's reusable.
2. I find it quite difficult to believe your story. It's not _____.
3. Don't worry, the water in that river is very clean. In fact, it's _____.
4. I can understand why you were late yesterday. It's _____.
5. Professor Brown knows lots of things. She is a _____ person.
6. Be careful with that glass table. It's a very _____ piece of furniture.
7. Stealing other people's things is a _____ crime. You might go to jail.
8. My dirty jacket isn't _____. I'll have to take it to be dry cleaned.
9. I think Mr. Smith can easily find a new job. He's a very _____ person.
10. After I finish using my camera, I can throw it away. It's a _____ camera.
11. The new sofa you bought is great! It's so _____ that I fell asleep on it.
12. My new business is making lots of money. I'm happy that it's _____.
13. Do you want my advice? It's not _____ to swim without a life guard.
14. My grandparents are very kind and _____. I love them so much!
15. The number of stars you can see in the night sky are _____. There are about six thousand of them.
16. Your excuse for being late is not _____! You must come on time. No excuses!

Grammar Focus Suffix: -able

Level Intermediate to Advanced

ANSWER KEY

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| 1. reusable | 9. employable |
| 2. believable | 10. disposable |
| 3. drinkable | 11. comfortable |
| 4. understandable | 12. profitable |
| 5. knowledgeable | 13. advisable |
| 6. breakable | 14. lovable |
| 7. punishable | 15. countable |
| 8. washable | 16. acceptable |

Grades as percentages

16 / 16 =	100%
15 / 16 =	94
14 / 16 =	86
13 / 16 =	81
12 / 16 =	75
11 / 16 =	69
10 / 16 =	63
9 / 16 =	56
8 / 16 =	50
7 / 16 =	44
6 / 16 =	38
5 / 16 =	31
4 / 16 =	25
3 / 16 =	19
2 / 16 =	13
1 / 16 =	6
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